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EXAMINER: Menon GROUP ART UNIT: 1723

TITLE: PERFLUORINATED THERMOPLASTIC FILTER CARTRIDGE

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Sir:

Perfluorinated thermoplastic

AMENDMENT

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Responsive to the Office Action of November 18, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the application as follows:

- ① phase inversion = col 5(24-68)
- ② perfluoro alkyl vinyl ether = 3(45-52),
8(15-41) etc.
- ③ film forming polymer
returned after treatment 8(52-60),
8(15-41) etc.
- ④ claims are ptxp → method of making
does not distinguish
product
- ⑤ comprising language does not restrict
additional steps.